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Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of

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For: DECODING AND CODING METHOD OF MOVING IMAGE SIGNAL, AND DECODING AND CODING  
APPARATUS OF MOVING IMAGE SIGNAL USING THE SAME

Enclosed are:

- ☒ 6 sheets of drawing.  
☐ An assignment of the invention to \_\_\_\_\_.  
☒ A Declaration and Power of Attorney (UNEXECUTED).  
☐ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 37 CFR 1.2  
☒ Claim to Right of Priority w/certified copy of Japanese application no(s). 9-094478.  
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## SMALL ENTITY

Rate	Fee
	\$395
x \$11	\$
x \$41	\$
+ \$135	\$
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$</b>

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SMALL ENTITY

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The drawings submitted with this application were declared informal by the applicant. Accordingly they have not been reviewed by a draftsman at this time. When formal drawings are submitted, the draftsman will perform a review.

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